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## 'Cheer Up' Is Well Presented

Audience "Packs" Theatre Two Nights for Club Benefit

### REPORT NEXT WEEK

"Cheer Up", the entertainment given under the direction of the Woman's Club, was a veritable landslide. Its success exceeded the hopes of the most optimistic club woman. For two successive nights it was given before a packed house.

Full details and financial results are not yet obtainable and must await next week's issue of the News.

The community service committee of the club is at a loss for words in which to express its appreciation of the splendid response made by the entire community to the effort.

As an organization the Woman's Club acknowledges its debt of gratitude, to the children, and to the splendid body of young people, whose willing efforts and hard work, made possible the success of the entertainment.

To all others, who in countless ways fell into line at the call of the committee and contributed to its success as well as to a generous appreciative public whose patronage "put it over big" the club extends its thanks.

The financial returns will spell "Cheer Up" to the committee and ultimately to the community for which the effort was made.

Again we say: "We thank you one and all."

### FIND GIGANTIC STILL AT BASSETT STATION

One of the most complete establishments for the making of liquor ever found in Kenosha county was discovered by Sheriff Fred Pabst and three deputies from Kenosha Tuesday afternoon when they raided the farm of William Voss, just at the edge of the village of Bassett. Two stills, 37 barrels of mash, 150 gallons of moonshine and three tons of sugar, which had been bought for future operations, were confiscated.

Voss was in Milwaukee when the raid was made. John Krueger, his employee, made no resistance. The officers first entered the barn, where many bags of sugar were found, and under several of them were found gallon jugs of moonshine. In the spring house they found a bottling and shipping room with 200 empty bottles in cases. Continuing their raid, they came upon two stills and 8 barrels of lemon and raisin mash in a former hog house.

Officials say that the stills have long been in operation, but that Voss has sold his product to Milwaukee and Waukesha buyers, and for that reason it was little known in the community, having long been known as a progressive stock raiser.

Father (calling downstairs)—Say, Helen, is that young man going to stay all night?

Daughter (after a slight pause)—He says he will, pa, if there's plenty of room. Where'll I put him?

"So the magistrate proposed to her last night?

"Yes; and made a lovely mess of it, too."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, when she asked for time to consider, he gave her 14 days!"

"Who is the most popular man in Crimson Gulch?"

"Cactus Joe. He was unanimously elected sheriff."

"Is he now holding office?"

"No. He refused. He said he'd rather go on being popular."

### WINS PRIZE FOR BEST SHIPMENT OF FURS

Charles Alvers received third prize in the best fur shipment contest held by the A. B. Shubert company of Chicago. Mr. Alvers was awarded \$10.

### 20 Years Ago in Antioch

Thursday, January 7, 1904

Henry Herman was a Chicago passenger on Tuesday.

Ben Emmons has been quite sick for the past three weeks but is now on the gain.

Harvey Watson of Chicago spent the latter part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Watson, Will Van Patten and wife of Silver Lake were calling on Antioch relatives and friends on Tuesday.

Robert Boucholtz and wife of Honey Creek, Wis., spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Radtke.

Mr. Sam Garwood, who has been working at Harvard for the past four months, returned home on Wednesday for a few days visit at Harmon Garewood's.

Quite a number of Miss Ethel Thayer's friends were invited to her pleasant home last Thursday evening to watch the old year out and the new year in with her. About thirty young people were present and a most enjoyable time spent in social converse and games, "kingdom" being the main feature of the evening. Several other games were indulged in which were heartily joined in by all. About 12 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served which was much enjoyed. After this pleasant feature a few musical selections were rendered, after which all departed to their homes, each wishing one another a happy new year and declaring Miss Ethel a model hostess. Those present were: The Misses Catherine Henderson, Ida Brooks, Laura Grimm, Alice Emmons, Lillie Watson, Gertrude Smart, Minnie Lux, Little Hancock, Clara Guillidge, Libbie Webb, Ada Lux, Lillian Turner, Pearl Lux, Fannie Denck, Ada Buttrick, Mable Turner and Mary Blair. The Messrs. Willie Henderson, Louis Fehl, Charles Lux, Goo, Walts, Burris Overton, John Turner, Roy Pierce, Earl Wedge and Mr. Webb.

Thursday, January 14, 1904

Sett' Coal—Sunday Creek Hocking \$4.75, block \$4.00. Barker Lumber Co.

Charles Blunt is spending a few days with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. W. F. Ziegler is spending the week with friends in Waukegan.

On Friday evening a number of the young people from here gave Frank Harden a pleasant surprise at his home south of town. It proved to be a surprise indeed but the guests soon made themselves at home and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Games were indulged in and about 12 o'clock refreshments were served to which all did ample justice. At a late hour all departed for their several homes declaring "Frank" to be a model host. Those present were: Misses Ada Lux, Pearl Lux, Mabel Turner, Little Turner, Olive Tiffany, Deedie Tiffany, Gertrude Feltier, Gertrude Smart, Mabel Higgins, Ruth Seymour, Eva Gray, Lora Bllett, Emma Young, Harriett Chin, Rose Demsey, Lula Savage, Georgia Hook; Messrs. Howard Butterfield, Charles Bry, John Erdogan, James Young, Dean Wigner, Frank Bregan, George Gollwitzer, Philip Betke, Walter Chin, Frank Chin, Earl Wedge, Richard Hook, Ben Van Patten, Chase McGuire, Will Pitman, Charles Lux, Evan Kuy, Claude Bregan.

The game of the second team was more evenly matched, the Antioch ponies played their opponents to a 6-6 score during the first half, but Antioch failed to register a point during the last periods, while Warren, after strenuous effort, managed to make five points.

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## THE ANTIQUITY NEWS, ANTIQUITY, Ill.

### Of Interest to Antioch Farmers

Timely topics and local news concerning stockmen, poultrymen, gardeners and dairymen. Edited by G. L. KUTIL

#### HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

TO SERVE LUNCHEON

Bring your family to the high school on January 29th and have a jolly old time all day. Exhibits should all be in place before noon when the judging and awarding of premiums will take place. The program starts at 10:30. Be on time. Luncheon will be served by the high school girls under supervision of Miss Tiffany during the noon hour. The program will again continue at 1:15 and end in time for all to get home and do the chores. At 8:00 o'clock in the evening a very interesting program is promised to all.

#### LAKE COUNTY HIGH IN ALFALFA ACREAGE

Lake county grows twice as many acres of alfalfa as the average for the state of Illinois. There are now over 12,000 acres of legumes grown for every 100 acres under cultivation. Lake county ranks 4th highest in the state. There is no county which devotes the commonly accepted standard of 20 to 25 percent of the cropped land to legumes. Is Lake county to show an increase in the next census? Certainly, why not? Come to the Farmers Institute at the high school on Jan. 29th and find out from Prof. L. F. Graber, alfalfa specialist, how to grow alfalfa successfully.

Christian Century magazine, is the following: "The anti-humanity of Christ heretics contended that the divine Christ could neither be born nor die, that Divinity took possession of him after his birth and left him before he died—that his soul was divine lodged in a human body." So those who today contend for the Divinity of Christ of Jesus would have been thought heretics in the early church. The editor of the Congregationalist was asked a few months ago if he believed in the Divinity of Jesus. He was entirely correct when he refused to answer yes or no and replied in the words of Paul: "God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself."

Mark 11:27-33 tells about Jesus controversy with the Scribes and Pharisees over his authority. I think it is perfectly plain that in that story Jesus is represented as claiming no higher authority for himself than he claimed for John the Baptist. The confession of Peter is deprived of all support for the Divinity of Jesus theory when we know that the Greek word Christos or Christ is but the translation of the Hebrew word Messiah. And then when we knew that in all the development of Hebrew and Jewish thought about the Messianic Kingdom and the Messiah in the Old Testament and the Intertestament periods that the Messiah was never thought of as God coming down to live as man, we are bound to see that Jesus' admission, if he did admit it, means no more than that he believed himself to be the Jewish Messiah. I think it certain that he felt that about himself early in his public ministry. But I have good evidence to show that while his followers and friends called him "Son of God" and such names, he tried to offset such a conception. The term "Son of Man" is adduced to support the theory of his Divinity, only by those who do not know that the Aramaic language in which Jesus taught, which was the successor to the Hebrew, is much the same way the Italian is successor to the Latin, has no definite article. So Jesus never could have said he was THE Son of Man, implying that he was the only one of a certain kind of being. The case is still worse for the Divinity theory when we know that in all the centuries before Jesus and in his time the term Son of Man was used to designate any one of the sons of Men. Jesus was the only one who applied this term to himself. And in the face of the repeated attempts on the part of others to make him different from others, I believe his repeated use of this title was to overcome their attitude, and convince them that he was really human.

Watch for the opening of the town library in a few weeks. It will be open on Saturdays at 2 p.m. until 4, and a little while on Sunday. The library is to be held at the church. Moving pictures for community benefit will be opened in Lake Villa January 22, at Barnstable hall. There will be two shows, one at seven and the other at nine p.m. The opening feature will be "Nanook of the North" story of the Great White Snows. Harold Lloyd will act in "Pay Your Dues." The proceeds are to be used to make the shows better as they go along. You are cordially invited to help in this community service.

#### CREEDALISM

Subject: "And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord."

The pamphlet by Harris Franklin Rall of Garrett Biblical Institute, entitled, "What Can I Believe?", contains the following: "What do Christians believe about Jesus Christ? We believe in Jesus as man. He lived our life, from the weakness of childhood through years of growth in mind and body, a life of faith and prayer, in dependence upon God. We believe in Jesus as saviour. We have looked to him and found power for a new life. We believe in Jesus as Lord and Master. We call him Lord because he has brought us truth and life. We call him Master because we know no higher 'I' than what we see in him. This is true faith—to look upon his life and say, that in that alone is the life which I must live; and then to follow him in simple trust and loyal service." In an article by C. P. Fagnani, "The Humanity of God," in the

Mark 2:28—In his teaching about the Sabbath he further bears out my belief as to his teaching that he was human, when he reminded the hearers that David and those with him broke man-made laws about the Sabbath, and it was all right. He has countenanced such an act by his disciples. The clear implication is that he meant that any one of the sons of men were more important than the institution of the Sabbath which had been made for them. The capitals to the term Son of Man in that passage are not in the original, but man-made in later ages. That Jesus let men call him Lord is no admission, on his part, of Divinity. The same term "Lord" was used to Phillip in John 12:21, in the Greek. In Acts 25:26 it is found again as a term of high respect to a superior. The Greek word for God is uniformly Theos-God not Kurios-Lord. Prof. Hayes of the New Testament department at Garrett, said: "If you make Jesus God you take away from me the incentive to be Christlike because I am not God." That is the point. We would prefer to think of Jesus as different from us in kind, so that we would not be bound to his standard of life. I believe that there is no Christian who, believing in the theory that Jesus was God, has not used the theory as a smoke screen behind which to hide some pat kind of devilry, or hold on to some secret sin, he found hard to stop. If Jesus was God, he might hold up Perfection to us as an ideal, but he never would hold us to it, for He is God but we are only human. Jesus' whole teaching of the Fatherhood loses point, or honesty, if he were not our brother, and if God is not just as much our Father as He was Jesus'.

"I do not think of Christ as God, some

dicty beyond the sky; I think of Christ as one who trod this earth, and had to live, to die, and die to live—I think of him finding His way through paths as dim as those of mine, as full of wrong—with just his faith to keep him strong.

I do not think of Christ as one re-

moved, a dicty apart, But one a-weary when the sun brought rest at last to limb and heart, I picture him a man of toil, a brother of the common soil, A brother of the sea and road, a plain religion, simple code, I think of Christ as One who went the very way that I must go, Who met and mastered each event and learned our common lot to know.

I think of Christ as one who stood with mortal men in brotherhood. This thought has brought me to my knees—we both have known Gethsemanes."

—Douglas Mallach.

E. Lester Stanton.

(Fifth of a series on "Creedalism and the Apostles Creed" delivered at the M. E. church Jan. 13, in the evening service.)

## Lake Villa News

Louis Faber and Wm. Wagner were in Chicago on business last Wednesday.

Mrs. W. G. Hucker was in the city a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Pfannestell visited Libertyville friends one day last week.

Mr. Odett is building a house on the lot he recently purchased of Herman Meier to replace the one that burned a year ago.

Mrs. James Leonard spent from Sunday till the middle of the week with her daughters in Chicago.

The Murie store was closed three days at the end of last week because of the death of Mrs. Murie's mother, who has been very ill for a long time. Mrs. Murie has been helping to care for her for several weeks. We extend to them our sympathy.

Mr. Keller visited his family in Waukegan last week.

Peterson & Co. have sold their stock of boots, shoes, clothing, etc., and we understand that the west side of the store will be used as a restaurant very soon.

Mrs. Madison visited Mrs. Keller in Waukegan one day recently.

The ice houses in and around our village are being filled with a good quality of ice.

Ben Hamlin, Frank Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin and Mrs. Cribb attended the Milton Littwiler funeral at Round Lake on Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society enjoyed a rag race at Mrs. Chas. Hamlin's on Wednesday afternoon this week. Refreshments were served.

#### PIANO TUNING

EARL G. ALDEN, member National Association of Piano Tuners, comes here frequently. Write or call. Residence 14 So. Sheridan road, Waukegan, phone 388. I have some good used pianos for sale around the hundred dollar mark, or will sent same.

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## Looking Ahead

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## FARM BUREAU NEWS

The following two letters received from raw milk from tuberculosis cattle.

Apart from this, looking at the subject from a purely economical standpoint it has been found that it is much more profitable to maintain healthy than tuberculosis cattle. In fact, several owners of cattle at considerable expense, informed me that the subsequent profits were sufficiently increased to justify the conclusion that eradication is an excellent investment.

Statement from Dr. Evans of Chicago Tribune Staff

Mr. J. C. Kline,  
Boone County Farm Bureau,  
Belvidere, Ill.

Dear Mr. Kline:

Replies to your letter of November 26th.

It has been proven positively that milk from tubercular cows causes tuberculosis in the human subject, and, particularly, tuberculosis in children. This is true, when the milk comes from a cow that has no tubercular involvement of the udder, as well as when there is.

The proof consisted in finding bacilli of the bovine type in the sputum in the lungs of the human consumptives. The opinion that bovine tuberculosis is communicable to human beings is now universally held amongst men who know.

Among those who have done research work on the problem are:

Park and Kruwiede of New York city; M. P. Ravenel of the University of Missouri; E. C. Cotton of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Efforts to make milk supplies safe by eradicating tuberculosis in milk herds and pasteurization have resulted in decreasing the prevalence of tuberculosis, particularly among children.

Very truly yours,

W. A. EVANS.

United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Industry, Experiment Station, Bethesda, Md., Dec. 3, 1923.

Mr. J. C. Kline Farm Advisor,  
Boone County Farm Bureau,  
Belvidere, Ill.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of December 1st relative to the transmission of Bovine Tuberculosis to children through the use of milk from tuberculous cattle, has been received.

If from 30 to 60 percent of the cattle in your county are tuberculous, it seems to me that the people of the county, and particularly the people who are supplied milk and dairy products from the country, should get very busy about the matter because apart from the disgust it must inspire to eat food derived from the bodies of diseased animals there is absolutely no doubt entertained by tuberculous investigators about the transmission of bovine tuberculosis to children.

In plain language, it is exceedingly dangerous to permit children to drink the raw milk or cream, or to eat ice cream, butter or fresh cheese made



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- ADVERTISING
- BUSINESS
- BOOKKEEPING
- Civil Service
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- Business Management
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REDUCTION of TAXATION  
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In giving his unqualified approval to Secretary Mellon's proposal for general tax reduction, President Coolidge has indicated the route along which the United States must travel if our people are to avoid the major consequences of the European situation. The effect of world conditions he does not pretend

CASH RECEIVED	BILLS PAID
\$3,693,752.078	\$3,298,080.444
BALANCE	\$385,681.634

sound budget system for the control of expenditures has been established; revenues have been brought to the point where they greatly exceed the requirements of economical and efficient administration, but so long as the people of this country continue to carry, directly and indirectly, burdens out of all proportion to the necessities of peace-time operations, the restoration of Government finances to a secure and durable position is incomplete.

If the only hope of progress and prosperity rests upon this restoration, if only by such restoration can the harm of world economic conditions be diminished, and if complete restoration depends upon extending relief to the people, then President Coolidge is indisputably right in declaring that tax reduction is of all services which the Congress can render to the country paramount. So long as that service remains unrendered, the American people are paying taxes in time of peace and opposition to that kind of taxation is woven through all the safeguards of our liberty. Since he succeeded to the Presidency, Mr. Coolidge has devoted every moment to the task of preparing himself to lay before Congress a true picture of what this country wants of its legislators. His judgment is that they want tax reduction to have the right of way over all other measures. Regardless of political affiliations the people, we believe, endorse that view.

## WHO GETS IT?

that we can escape, because economic disorders which have reached all nations must inevitably touch this country with its widely scattered financial, industrial, and commercial interests, but he does assert that the harm to us can be diminished.

No feeling is wider-spread in this country today than resentment that circumstances which we could not control have profoundly affected the conduct of our private and public affairs and imposed staggering burdens upon us. There is no difference of opinion as to the injustice of it all so far as are concerned the people of the United States, who were indomitably and on the whole happily working out their own problems as they best could when the war broke in upon their prosperity and progress. Differences of opinion arise only with discussion as to what now, the harm having been done, is the best way out.

What that way is we do not know, but there can be no doubt that the beginning is, as the President says, the restoration of Government finances to a secure and durable position. War activities have been practically eliminated, a

Storage Battery Freeze  
Do not forget that the storage batteries freeze and when once frozen are useless. It is advisable to have the battery tested more often in winter weather. The battery reading should never be below 1,280 in the winter months.

The following table is considered a good guide and will show just what can be expected at different temperatures:

Spec. Grav. Battery Solution	Freezes at
1,280 (full charge)	98 below zero
1,260 (three-fourth charge)	60 below zero
1,225 (one-half charge)	38 below zero
1,170 (one-fourth charge)	13 above zero
1,150 (discharge)	13 above zero

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## Locals

Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Robert Solter's father is quite sick and under the doctor's care.

Mesdames Reichman, Vlegel, Koulman and Gollwitzer attended Installation at Ravenswood chapter O. E. S., Chicago, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Tiffany and Mrs. S. Ferris motored to Waukegan on Wednesday.

James Stearns transacted business in Chicago on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. W. Jensen was operated on for appendicitis at the Englewood hospital in Chicago last Saturday. At present she is getting along very nicely.

Mrs. Adella Rentner went to Chicago to spend the day on Tuesday.

Mrs. Chauine Barber returned to her home at Chetek, Wis., on Monday evening of this week after spending nearly three weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Theresa Middlecamp and at her brother's home, spending some time with other relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Marie Jensen, who has been ill for the past two weeks is much better.

The Ladies Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Webb on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 23.

Miss Addie Schafer left on Monday afternoon for a visit with her sister, who lives at Sturtevant, Wis.

A number of young people from here accompanied the basket ball team to Gurnee last Friday evening.

A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by the ladies attending the social afternoon at the Methodist church last Thursday.

Mrs. Ida Fiddler has been quite sick the past week.

August Rentnor, who has been in a hospital in Chicago for several weeks has so far recovered from his illness to be able to leave the hospital and is spending this week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Suhr in Chicago.

P. E. China is getting along very nicely after his fall last week.

Rev. Edwia Randall, secretary to the Bishop and Council of Chicago preached Sunday morning at St. Ignatius' church. He spoke about the Missionary Work carried on within the Diocese. In the afternoon he went to Grayslake and spoke at St. Andrew's mission.

The officers of Antioch chapter O. E. S. were installed on January 10, Clara Haigler and Jeanne Barrows, grand lecturers of Chicago being the installing officers. A short program consisting of humorous readings and duets were enjoyed by all. Cake and coffee were served.

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Friday, January 18

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SPECIAL— Saturday, January 19 —SPECIAL  
JACKIE COOGAN in

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ANOTHER SPECIAL— Sunday, January 20  
DOROTHY PHILLIPS in  
"SLANDER THE WOMAN"

Wednesday, January 23  
ELINOR FAIR and an all-star cast, in  
"DRIVEN"

A story of the Kentucky hills

Saturday, January 26  
"DAUGHTERS OF THE RICH"

Coming—Tom Mix "Three Jumps Ahead," "Pendrod and Sam," "The Spoilers," "Human Wreckage," "Enemies of Women," "Three Wise Fools."

Tuesday evening the Misses Ruth and Irene Kellehut and George Parkin of Kenosha attended the play given by the Antioch Womans club on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lynch were surprised by about 65 relatives and friends and neighbors Saturday evening all arriving at the same time. The occasion being their 20th wedding anniversary. The first part of the evening was spent in playing bingo and at 11:30 a four-course supper was served. After the supper the rugs were removed and rest of the night was spent in dancing and songs. Music was furnished by T. J. Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. J. Finley. Those present from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Peters and family of Chicago and Mrs. Peter's sister, Miles Jeanie Rielly and T. J. Lynch and Sister Katie Clark of Prairie View and Mr. and Mrs. Salvo of Kolozs, Ill. They received many beautiful gifts.

Mrs. Fred Hardon was a Chicago passenger last Saturday.

## BALLAD OF FIVE LITTLE MERCHANTS

"Five little dealers,  
Each kept a store,  
One eat prices;  
Then there were four.  
Four little dealers,  
Feeling sad, but free,  
One wouldn't advertise;  
Then there were three.  
Three little dealers,  
One felt pretty blue,  
Failed to dress his windows;  
That left but two.  
Two little dealers,  
All their rivals gone!  
One forgot his overhead;  
That left but one.  
One little dealer,  
Decided he could get  
Some lessons from experience,  
So he is growing yet."

Sarasota (Fla.) Times

## Legal Fiction

A fiction in law is an assumption made for the purpose of justice, though the same fact could not be proved and may be literally untrue, and it is a rule that a fiction of law shall work no wrong. The fictitious characters of John Doe and Richard Roe for the purposes of various actions are well known.

## Character

Real greatness has nothing to do with a man's sphere. It does not lie in the magnitude of his outward agency, or in the extent of the benefits he produces. Grandeur of character lies wholly in the force of the soul, that is the force of thought, moral principle and love.—William Ellery Channing.

## Few Poisonous Snakes

Of the several thousands of different species of snakes, only about one-third have poison glands. The bite of not more than 150 would cause death to man.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The State Bank of Antioch

located at Antioch, State of Illinois, at close of business on the 31st day of Dec. 1923, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law

## RESOURCES

1. Loans on Real Estate	\$ 108,600.00
2. Loans on Collateral Security	\$ 12,710.00
3. Other Loans	\$ 150,460.06
4. Overdrafts	\$ 10,918.33
5. Current Accounts	\$ 10,000.00
6. Other Bonds and Stocks	\$ 50,931.25
7. Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	\$ 5,600.00
8. Due from Banks, Cash and other Cash Resources	\$ 98,663.93
Total Resources	\$ 418,560.11

## LIABILITIES

1. Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
2. Surplus	\$ 10,000.00
3. Undivided Profits (Net)	\$ 9,448.17
4. Time Deposits	\$ 251,213.95
5. Demand Deposits	\$ 102,407.34
6. Dividends Unpaid	2,620.01
7. Reserve Accounts	\$ 418,81
Total Liabilities	\$ 418,560.11

J. W. F. Ziegler, Cashier of the State Bank of Antioch, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. F. Ziegler, Cashier  
State of Illinois, County of Lake, etc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January 1924.

J. C. JAMES,  
Notary Public.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The Brook State Bank

located at Antioch, State of Illinois, at close of business on the 31st day of Dec. 1923, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law:

## RESOURCES

1. Loans on Real Estate	\$ 103,746.00
2. Loans on Collateral Security	\$ 23,350.00
3. Other Loans	\$ 181,727.68
4. Overdrafts	\$ 21,37
5. Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	\$ 4,403.60
6. Due from Banks, Cash, and Other Cash Resources	\$ 71,772.00
Total Resources	\$ 393,359.66

## LIABILITIES

1. Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
2. Surplus	\$ 10,000.00
3. Undivided Profits (Net)	\$ 9,448.17
4. Time Deposits	\$ 103,402.05
5. Demand Deposits	\$ 100,591.28
6. Reserve Accounts (for taxes)	\$ 65.54
Total Liabilities	\$ 393,359.66

J. Ernest Brook, Cashier of the Brook State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. ERNEST BROOK, Cashier  
State of Illinois, County of Lake, etc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January 1924.

E. ELMER INDOOR,  
Notary Public.

## Methodist Episcopal Church News

Church School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Service of Worship ..... 10:45 a. m.  
Service of Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.

Choir rehearsal at the church Thursday night at 7 p. m.

Subjects for next Sunday, A. M., Centenary Results; P. M., The Virginia Birth.

The Epworth League will continue its work under the leadership of Miss Mabel Van Dusen, of constructing a program of recreation for the community.

A group of the young people are planning a trip to the Albany Park M. E. church next Saturday, Jan. 19, for the second session of the Winter Institute. Are you one of the lucky ones? See Walter Scott or Mabel Van Dusen.

Jan. 24, Church Night. Look at this schedule: 6 p. m., supper; 7:30-8:15, assembly; 8:30-15, classes; 8:45-9:30, entertainment. Following is the menu for the supper: Pork and beans, scalloped potatoes, rolls, butter, sweet pickles, cake (coffee will be furnished for all by the church). Please bring some item on the menu. If you wish suggestions as to which article to bring call Mrs. Morris. This beats a paid supper all hollow. You bring things to eat them, you eat them and that is the end of it, unless you eat too much and have to call the doctor. You will not have to furnish it, and then pay for it the second time. We will have "music with our meal."

Classes during the 8:30-15 period will be as follows: Beginners and primary "Bible stories and songs," teacher, Mrs. Ziegler; Juniors and Intermediates, "Religious Dramatization," teacher, Mrs. Stanton; Seniors and Adults (elective courses) "Special Methods," Miss Edna Baxter; "The Geography of Methodist Missions," teacher to be announced later. "Introductory Problems relating to the Books of the New Testament," teacher, Mr. Stanton. The entertainment is a "dark horse." We are planning for a mob.

"Was your uncle's mind vigorous and sane up to the very last?"

One of the Heirs—That we don't know as yet. The will will not be opened until tomorrow.

## St. Ignatius' Church News

Second Sunday after Epiphany. Church School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Holy Eucharist ..... 11:00 a. m.  
Evening ..... 5:00 p. m.

After evening the regular social hour of the Vesper Club will be held at the rectory.

Choir practice will be held as usual Thursday evening at 7:30 at the rectory.

BIG KENTUCKY PLAY AT CRYSTAL WED.

May Tolliver is the drudge in a family of moonshining moonshiners, consisting of a husband and four sons. Their only neighbors are John Hardin and daughter Essie. Tommy Tolliver the youngest son, is of a timid, retiring nature and is the butt of his bully.

Energy. Energy set free by the transmutation of hydrogen atoms contained in a number of water would be sufficient to drive the most powerful steamship about from America to Europe and back, scientists say.

See "Driven" coming attraction at the New Crystal on Wednesday evening, Jan. 23.

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## Your Own Business

How much money do you owe? To whom? When is it due?

That is your own business, of course. But when you go to a bank to borrow money, it becomes your banker's business, too.

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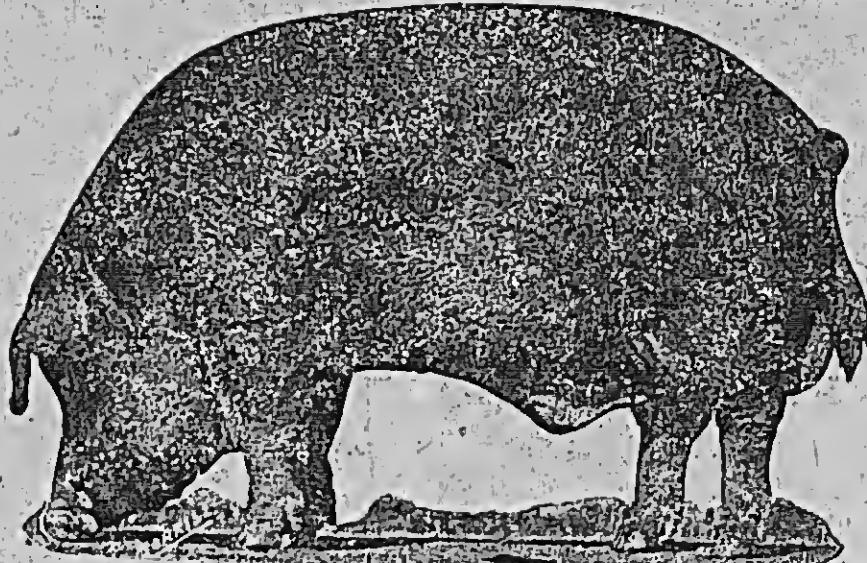
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**Illinois Leads  
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The first year of operation of the Illinois ton-litter club under the supervision of Prof. W. H. Smith of the State University at Urbana resulted in 80 litters raised to reach a weight of 2000 pounds or more in 180 days. This is the largest number of ton-litters produced in 1923 in any state that carried on the project. Wabash county took the state title with a litter of 12 pure-bred Duroc pigs fed by James Deputy of Keensburg. This litter weighed 3283 pounds and was eight



Three times champion, "Sensation Improver", owned by Chesney Farms, Lake Villa, Ill.

only the champion one of Illinois, but also the heaviest litter ever raised in the corn belt. The lightest litter weighed an even ton and was from Logan county.

Twenty-eight counties were represented by one or more ton-litters. Sangamon County topped the list with ten to its credit. McLean county was close behind with nine followed by Champaign, which claimed six litters to make required weight. Twelve counties in the state had to be content with one-ton litter each.

Of the 80 litters that reached the required weight in 180 days, 61 were purebred on both sire and dam's side. Eleven litters were sired by purebred boars and out of dams classed as grades. Some of the sows in this class were purebred though not eligible for registration and thus rated as grades. Five were litters and the remaining three were cross breeds. Classified by breeds the litters are as follows:

Duroc Jersey	44
Poland China	14

Spotted Polands	5
Chester Whites	5
Tamworth	4
Grades	10

The remarkable showing made by the purebreds demonstrates the value of high-class breeding hogs for pork production purposes.

The average weight of each litter was 2298.9 pounds, with an average of 10.6 pigs raised per litter. In this connection it is interesting to know that the grade litters weighed about 100 pounds less than the average and had one-half of a pig less per litter than the average for all sows in the contest. The highest number of pigs in a single litter was fifteen, with but one litter having this many. The lowest number of pigs in one litter was eight

# Bargain Opportunities

Many people travel miles for a bargain, push their way through crowds, and in many cases come away disheveled, tired and with articles that afterward disgust them.

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## Silver Lake

Mrs. Reinhard Flucker and daughter of Burlington were visitors at John Kamin home Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Nowell of Milwaukee were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hansen.

The annual stockholders meeting of Silver Lake State Bank was held Saturday. The following directors were elected: Joseph E. Dalton, R. T. Button, F. R. Schreck, John Evans, Chas H. Curtiss, Geo. W. Higgins and Erik Hansen.

Officers from here attended O. E. S. practice at Wilmot Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swartz and family of Burlington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz.

Mr. Geo. Dean and daughter of Bassett called at the Chas. Dean home Sunday.

Mr. Frank Sevey of Kenosha was home for the week end.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schenning was christened at their home on Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Stoeter and Mrs. Roth were Kenosha shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Haase and daughter Caroline, of Salem, are visiting Mrs. Leonard.

Miss Margaret Strasburg of White-water visited her sister, Mrs. Otto Schenning over Sunday.

Mrs. George Schmafeldt and Harry motored to Kenosha Thursday.

Charles Barber, Ross Schenning, Stanley Becker, Fred Schmafeldt and R. S. Ihlenfeldt motored to Kenosha to a basketball game last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Erik Hansen entertained a few friends Friday afternoon.

Miss G. O'Connor spent the week end in Milwaukee.

Silver Lake School Notes

The second grade began to read the Frie and Treadwell 2nd reader on Monday. They dramatized "The Hare and the Tortoise," "The Wind and Sun," and "The Fox and the Crow."

Friday morning, for opening exercises the lower room studied "The Make-up of a book," and "The Handling of a New Book."

Olene Schmafeldt visited school Thursday.

All grades in the upper room received a test on Friday.

The seventh and eighth grade boys are making plant stands and foot stools for manual training.

The sixth grade is the only grade that had perfect attendance for the first week in January.

Three more pupils have finished their reading circle. They are: Mary Daly, Derrill Sevey and Loretta Hazel.

Lueille Weaver was absent the past week on account of illness.

## THE NEGRO QUESTION

"Does yo' still refuse, sah, to pay me dem two dollars I done loaned yo' de Lawd on't knows when?"

"Nussah!" dignifiedly replied Brother Bogus. "I doesn't refuse; I jess refrains."

Little Willie pointed at his sister's sweet-heart, Mr. Jones. "Mr. Jones kicked me yesterday," he snarled, "but I got even with him, you bet your life. I mixed up quisine with my sister's face powder."

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"Wouldn't you, grandma? Show me how you'd do it."

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## Trevor Happenings

have been very sick with pneumonia, are reported on the gain.

The Parent Teachers meeting was well attended Friday evening. After the business was finished the upper grades girls entertained with a few songs. Miss Endor's first and second grades gave a song. Russel Longman and Henry Filsen each gave a reading after which everyone joined in the community singing. After the refreshments were served a social hour was enjoyed.

The card party Saturday evening at Social Center hall was well attended. The prizes were awarded as follows for cinch: Ladies first, Mrs. Harry Lubene; second, Beatrice Oetting; men's first, Charles Oetting; second, Fred Schreck; bunco, ladies first, Adeline Oetting; second, Mrs. Filsen; men's first, William Schilling; second, Robert Patrick.

The annual meeting of the Salem Mutual Insurance Company was held at Social Center hall, Trevor, on Tuesday afternoon. The report for the year shows the amount of risks carried as nearly \$2,000,000, a large increase over last year. The officers elected were: George Ilanton, president; William Evans, secretary; Charles Curtiss, treasurer; Matt Reiter and Ira Brown, directors.

Mr. Jesse Allen of Richmond was a Trevor caller Saturday.

Thirty cans of cream were separated at the milk factory Monday and taken to Burlington to be made into butter.

Hiram Patrick is assisting Frank Burrough at the milk factory.

Deacon Johnson—D' yo' think yo' could support mah daughter et o' married her?

Ed Black—Sittingly.

Deacon—Hab yo' eber seen her eat?

Ed—Sittingly.

Deacon—Hab yo' eber seen her eat when nobody was watchin' her?

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## Friday and Saturday, January 18 and 19

Our reason for this is that a large number of farmers only get to town every other day.

Our supply of some of the goods are limited and may all be sold the first day, but we will try to replace them the second day with other \$1.00 specials of equal value.

We also wish to announce that from this date on through the year we will have special prices on staple goods each Saturday. It will pay you to visit this store every Saturday to see what we have to offer at special prices for one day only.

The following is a list of \$1.00 specials for 2 days only,

JANUARY 18th and 19th

30 bars Santa Claus Soap \$1.00

Six 1-lb. packages Soap Chips and six Cans Kitchen

Cleanser, all for \$1.00

Twelve Cans Genuine Old Dutch Cleanser \$1.00

5 lbs. Fancy Evaporated Apricots \$1.00

Four 15-oz. Packages Seeded Raisins and four 15oz.

Packages Seedless Raisins, all for \$1.00

Five 1-lb. Cans Medium Red Alaska Salmon \$1.00

10 Cans Monarch Pork and Beans \$1.00

One 24½-lb. Bag of Pillsbury's Flour and 1 Package

Yeast Foam, both for \$1.00

3 Pair Men's 50c Wool Socks \$1.00

Men's Brushed Wool Mufflers, \$1.50 values \$1.00

Ladies' Flannel Night Gowns, \$1.50 values \$1.00

Men's Flannel Night Gowns, \$1.50 values \$1.00

The above are twelve \$1.00 specials for two days only,

January 18th and 19th

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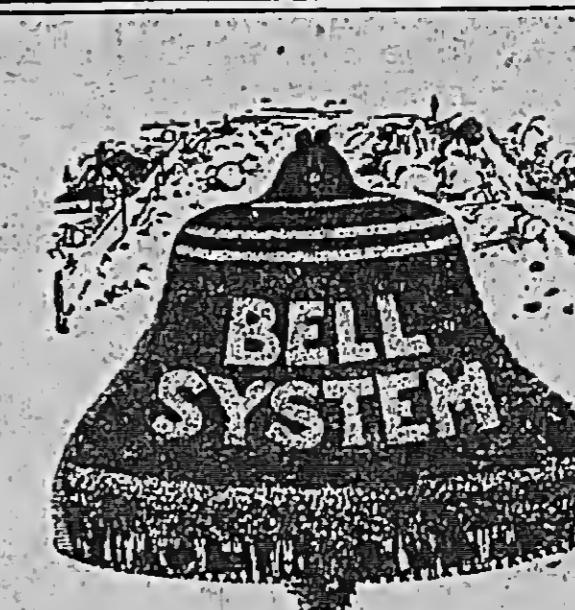
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# The Custard Cup

by  
Florence Bingham Livingston

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## SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—Living in a barn converted into a dwelling, Mrs. Penfield is manager of an apartment building known as the "Custard Cup," originally "Violator Court." Her income is derived from laundry, etc., from the various lodgers, and Mrs. Weatherstone, whom she has never seen. Living with her are "Crink" and "Thad," homeless small boys whom she has adopted. They call her "Penzie." Little Penfield, a strange man was inquiring for her under her maiden name.

CHAPTER II.—A tenant, Mrs. Gussie Bosley, induces Penzie to take charge of a baby, which she does with some difficulty.

CHAPTER III.—Searching a refuse dump for things which might be of value, Crink and Little, two of the lodgers, find a small girl, Lettie, who proves a foeman worthy of his steel. He takes her to Penzie, and Lettie is adopted into the family.

CHAPTER IV.—The stranger proves to be Mrs. Penfield's uncle Jerry. He announces he is going to remain in the vicinity of the Custard Cup.

CHAPTER V.—Uncle Jerry arrives to occupy the lot above Mrs. Penfield's.

CHAPTER VI.—Uncle Jerry meets Prudence Haapgood, no longer young, but attractive, and the two appear to be friends. It is with her that Lettie has a small friend, Dick Chase, also a mutual friend.

CHAPTER VII.—Friendship developing between Uncle Jerry and Frank Bosley, husband of Gussie, worries Penzie.

CHAPTER VIII.—Calmly a tenant, Mrs. Sanders, on the verge of a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Penfield reveals the tragic story of her own life, the sudden loss of her three children in an epidemic and the subsequent death of her husband.

CHAPTER IX.—Lettie's pet, a canary in The Custard Cup, has been given a certain Mr. W. W. Wopple, and the animosity culminates in a physical encounter in which much water is spilled.

CHAPTER X.—Dick Chase confides to Mrs. Penfield that his fiancee's stepmother, Mrs. Percy, by pleading physical helplessness, is seeking to prevent their marriage. Penzie skillfully exposes Mrs. Percy's sham, and the latter is forced to withdraw her objections.

CHAPTER XI.—The domestic difficulties of the Bosleys become a matter of gossip among the other tenants of The Custard Cup.

## CHAPTER XII

A Busy Day for the Gong.

"Hoo-hoo, Caesar, to stit!" commanded Lettie severely. "You can't have this chicken, 'cause I'm going to raise it for Penzie. Poor little feller!" she crooned. "We're going to grow you into a nice hen, ain't we? Get away, El'buster Caesar Penfield, I tell you. This here chicken's been clawed into a ready. Think I'm going to let it be et any more?"

Her hands being fully occupied with the injured chicken, she emphasized her attitude toward El' by vigorous thrusts of her foot. She was sitting on the back steps, binding up a long yellow leg, the accidental bruising of which had been the bane of this gift. No one would have thought of giving her a whole fowl; but when she had been found lavishing sympathy upon this maimed specimen, the owner had bestowed it upon her with renewed carelessness.

And Lettie had accepted it eagerly. The half of a person's kingdom was as much as she ever expected, and that half considerably battered and tattered. The time had not yet come when Lettie would wonder why she was living; so far her brief years had been filled with a desperate struggle to keep that life existent without regard to its purpose, and until recently there had never been anything but the nearest scraps to do it with.

"Awk! Awk!" complained the chicken.

"Woof! Woof!" worried the dog. "Shut up, both of you," advised Lettie sharply. "My hasty patience, ain't you both the limit? Keep still, hen, can't you? Don't you never want two legs again?"

"Help, Spitfire. Where's your Uncle Jerry?"

The child's black eyes flushed as she looked up. Instinctively she dis-



Yessy, with new moving. "I'll call her Bonnie Geraldine," she said aloud. This decision, honoring the two daughters of Mrs. Weatherstone, was the highest kind of tribute, being spontaneous and given without intention of flattery. The young ladies were only names to Lettie, who had no more thought of ever seeing a Weatherstone than she had of glimpsing the North pole, rising out of the cake of ice and bearing aloft the flags of the various nations that have discovered it.

"Better call it the Calico Curiosity," he suggested between slow puffs.

Lettie bit her lips till the color left them. Taking up two pieces of board, she propped them together to see if they would form the conventional gable roof of a chicken coop. They would not. With a sigh she discarded one and took up another.

"You can't do it," observed the man. "You don't know how."

"Why don't you help me, then?"

"If I could, I have better things to do."

"Yes, you have!" she retorted. "Such as slinking in the basement door to see the cross-eyed man."

With his finger on the clasp of his cigarette case, he paused. Lettie, watching him calmly, was quick to see that her shot had told.

"And the little man that carries a cane," she continued.

"If I was in your place," Lettie proceeded with relish, "I wouldn't leave my machine in the same spot all time. It's kinder noble-like, 'twixt them two eucalyptus trees on Everidge street, and—"

"Here, Bonnie Geraldine," she commanded, turning to her new acquaintance, "stop slopping 'round so. That dog ain't going to hurt you. Here, good old El', treat her decent, can't you? You gotta get qualified and be friends. How can I love you both it?"

She heard steps behind her. Switching about, she encountered the white anger of Frank Bosley.

"You imp of satan!" he growled.

"Hold your tongue in your head! If you don't know how to use it. You haven't never seen me in any such place. If you want to play safe, you won't get me mixed with somebody else and go blabbing."

Lettie stood up and confronted him coolly, thin shoulders thrown back, dark eyes unflinched.

"If it wasn't you, what're you get-

ting, so mad for? How do you know I ain't praisin' you?"

"I don't care what way it is. Who-

ever you saw, 'wan't me. D'you un-

derstand? You needn't get me mixed

up with anybody else."

"I haven't got you mixed up, Mr.

Frank Bosley. I got your number,

and I know a lot I hasn't told. I seen you three fellers more'n once; and when you sink, I know you're shammed of something. All is, if you want me to keep still, you get out here and keep away from Uncle Jerry."

With an assumption of recovered composure, he returned to the stump, took out another cigarette, struck a match, and contemplated the child with well-simulated indifference.

"Don't worry, spitfire."

Lettie was immensely disappointed.

She had thought she was making headway, and here she was back where she had been in the first place.

It took scarcely ten seconds for her anger to rise.

"Get outa here!" she shrieked. "Get out and keep out."

"Dry up," he retorted. "I've heard 'nough from you, young lady. I didn't come here to be sassed. I came to see your Uncle Jerry, and right here I stay till he comes."

"No, you don't; no, you don't," stormed Lettie. "You're going now, or I'll— Oh, by Jingoes, there I go again! Excuse me, I gotta—"

Frank Bosley threw back his head and laughed. Strangely to catch his breath, he suddenly bent forward, as if impelled from merchant. Lettie, watching, felt her rage turn to fear, to cold terror. Was it possible that Penzie's love had held up a false hope to encourage her and that everybody else looked down on her?

"Oh, gee!" he gasped, recovering himself. "Who'd think Penzie'd string you like that?"

At the words, the child's fear was swallowed up in recurring anger. Her beloved Penzie had been criticized.

"Don't you dare talk 'bout Penzie," she flashed. "Get outa here, you nixy siffl! Get outa—"

She dashed toward him with outstretched arms, as one might to frighten a small animal; then stopping so abruptly that she swayed dizzy for a moment. "Excuse me," she muttered. "O, Lord!" She turned and flew into the house, banging the kitchen door behind her. The minutes that supervened were troubled by a thud-thumping, as of a drum gone wrong.

When Lettie reappeared she was

carrying an armful of boards, a tomato can of old rescued nails, and a hatchet with a notched blade. The household did not possess a hammer, an implement too highly specialized to be afforded; the hatchet had squeezed in by its diversity of service.

Frank Bosley was still there, sitting on a small stump smoking a cigarette.

He watched lazily while Lettie spread her materials down on the walk.

"What's the nifty notoia?" he drawled.

She gave him a brief glance. "You here yet?"

"Sure, and talking. I asked, what you making?"

"I'm going to make a coop for—"

She broke off and sat back on her heels, considering.

"For the pepper-and-salt shipwreck?" he put in helpfully.

"Tain't a shipwreck," defended Lettie. "It's a Plymouth Rock, guaranteed, and it's going to be a good one. I gotta name her."

She reflected deeply, trying out names sound-



The nails fell with a jangle on board walk.

She was alone. Uncle Jerry had gone with Frank Bosley. During the moment that she realized her failure to frustrate this friendship, her breath stopped, from the most acute despair. Then her anger rose, mounting to rage—against Uncle Jerry, against Frank Bosley.

"I'll show him! I'll show him!" she vowed in a fury. On mad impulse she tore around the house—then whirled and tore back again. "O Lord," she groaned, "why can't I remember? I gotta remember, 'cause I gotta stay with Penzie."

Again she pelted into the kitchen and reached for the toy rolling-pin. Vicious blows rained on the board—blows of rage against the two men, blows of exasperation over her failure, blows of wild wrath against her own.

"Devil, you shan't have me. You shan't; you shan't. Devil, do you hear? You shan't—have—me!"

Over and over she uttered this defiance, and with every word she struck the gong till the heavy board swung against the wall.

"O Penzie," she sobbed brokenly, "I'm trying—I'm trying. Honest, I'm—"

On and on she pounded, her emotion reaching frenzy, a frenzy like that of the worn wiper who dances till he falls. Her arm ached, but her energy did not relax. Her blood went queer, like a great wave leaving her head cold. Then another great wave that flooded her with heat, rolled over her, shut off her breath, receded. A black shawl over and gathered up a handful of nails; then dropped her hand.

She was still lying there on the floor beneath the temper gong when Mrs.

Penfield came in—her face white in its frame of black curls, her right hand limp on the rolling-pin that had come down with her on its broken string.

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## Wilmot News Notes

Doris Ganzlin was home from Milwaukee over the week end.

Mrs. R. C. Burton of Richmond spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. Hogenau last week.

Clarence Wright of Lake Geneva was in Wilmot Sunday.

Mrs. Madison Ballantyne and daughter, Patricia Jean of Lead, South Dakota, arrived Sunday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. S. Boulden.

Ernest Peacock made a business trip to Kenosha Monday.

Hazel Stoxen has been under the doctor's care since she slipped and fell during the icy spell. Miss Stoxen was severely hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Simes of Hebron were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stoxen.

Mrs. C. Morgan and Aileen Morgan are planning to leave for California January 23th.

Mrs. G. McClellan was ill several days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blondo spent the week end in Milwaukee.

Edward Murphy is working at the Kenosha Brass Mill.

Miss Metcalfe spent the week end at her home in Milwaukee.

Sam Sholdis was under the doctor's care last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Banks and children of Powers Lake were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson.

Linus Murphy was out from Kenosha over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Merritt, who left before the holidays with Mr. Merritt and their daughter for an extended visit with relatives at Dwight, Illinois, was operated on for appendicitis at a Peoria hospital recently.

Rev. Joseph Brasky left Monday for a two months' vacation in California. Rev. Huepper is to say mass every Sunday during his absence at 10:15.

Alfred Beschke was ill with bronchitis and under the doctor's care last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Benedict and children of Bristol spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Higgins.

Rev. S. and Mrs. Jedeole attended a baptismal dinner for the infant son Richard Frederick of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schenning of Silver Lake Sunday.

Ellen Knudson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Knudson, of Chicago,

was married at Waukegan last Friday to Nels Nelson of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are to make their home in Kenosha.

The Richier basketball team was defeated Sunday afternoon at the local gymnasium by the Grayslake legion team. The victorious team outweighed the local boys, but the lighter team kept the score almost evenly balanced until the last quarter, when more efficient guarding by Grayslake kept Norman Richier from making another run of baskets and the visiting team won with a score of 32-26.

The home boys did excellent playing and it is the first game they have lost this season. A Chicago team is to play the Richiers here on Sunday, Jan. 27th.

Monday night, Jan. 21, the Fred Semrau Post of the American Legion is planning a monster meeting to include all members of the Post and an invitation is extended to all legion men of the community to be present, to welcome new members who are joining the post. The order of business for the evening is as follows:

Acceptance of finance officer's report, discussion of plans for dance, discussion of purchase of pool table for Legion rooms, mess.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson of Kenosha spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martha Anderson.

The farmers of the community are acting as pickets at all the neighboring plants and have closed practically all of them. Sunday strenuous measures were taken to close up Borden's Bassetts and mills from the P. Van Dorsee, Art Pacey and A. C. Stoxen farms and Mr. Schulte was dumped. Monday the Bassetts farmers joined with those who had closed their plant to close Silver Lake, Salem and Bristol. A crowd went to Burlington Tuesday to close the Nestle plant.

Among those from the village who were in Burlington last week were Mr. and Mrs. H. McDougal and Fern, Frank Kruckman, Mrs. J. Carey, Grace Carol, Alvina Huff, Wm. Stensel.

Mrs. G. Lubkeman of Bristol spent Friday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. J. Gauger.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and daughter were in an automobile accident Friday when their car skidded off the

read into an electric light pole on the Trevor road near the O'Malley farm. The car was badly damaged but the occupants escaped injury.

Walter Carey and son Irving spent Tuesday in Chicago.

U. F. H. School Notes

Hazel Stoxen was absent last week because of illness.

Lorraine Peacock visited school Thursday.

Physics 4 class had tests Monday and Tuesday.

Mary Hoffman was absent Thursday and Friday because of illness.

The Richier Ringers defeated Union Grove Friday night in the Waukegan gymnasium by a score of 23-19.

Anna Wilson visited school Thursday.

Mr. Reschke was absent several days last week because of illness.

The girls' basketball association is planning on giving two one-act plays in the near future.

English 4 class has begun the study of Longfellow.

Regular band practice was held Monday.

Reginald Epping has been absent because of illness.

Wilmot Grade Notes

The following people were elected Friday to serve as officers of the literary society for the next three months. Windsor Madden, president, Mary Murphy vice-president, Norman Jedeole secretary, and Alice McDougal treasurer.

Verna Schulte was absent because of illness. Verna had neither a tardy or absent mark against her.

Virginia's Alibi.

The story is told of a Virginian who stayed out until two o'clock in the morning. His wife objected. He said he wasn't out as late as she thought he was. She declared she had heard the clock strike. "What?" said the Virginian, "you'll take the word of a d— Yankee clock before mine?"

Slot Machines in Ancient Egypt.

Ancient Egypt boasted a "penny-in-the-slot" machine, while one explorer found in the ruins of Nineveh a kind of magnifying glass, and nearly four thousand years ago the Egyptians and Assyrians observed the stars through a primitive telescope.

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### Red and Cayenne Pepper.

Red pepper is the powdered ripe pod, both flesh and seeds, of any variety of capsicum; the plant which gives us the allible fresh pepper, but which bears no relation to the true pepper plant. Cayenne pepper is, by ruling of the board of food and drug inspection of 1900, distinguished from red pepper as being obtained only from small-fruited varieties of capsicum.

### Prevents Raindrop Beads.

To prevent raindrop water from beading on glass, wipe off the glass with a piece of cloth wet with glycerin. The first few drops remain as drops spreading and showing a tendency to run, but as the drops increase in number they come into contact with each other and coalesce, forming a smooth, transparent film of water over the entire surface, which is no obstruction to vision.

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## HOW THE NATION IS PROTECTED FROM SERIOUS DISASTER

City Without a Reserve Water Supply Against Destruction by Fire Likened by Bankers' Committee to Business Situation Without Federal Reserve System.

A vital element in everybody's prosperity is that mysterious sounding "something or other" called bank reserve, says the Committee on Public Education of the American Bankers Association, adding: "It isn't an easy matter to make simple and interesting, but its importance to every man, woman and child in the country makes the effort worth while." The Committee continues:

Money on deposit must always be ready for depositors when they desire it. Banks must also be ready to loan money, when needed, to their customers, or business would be hampered. In other words, prosperity depends largely on the ability of the banks to meet these demands—that is, depends on the "bank reserves." The problem of handling reserves has been difficult. The Federal Reserve System has met the problem more satisfactorily than any other method ever tried in this country.

The Great Solution

Our banks are managed by officers and directors, elected by their own stockholders. They are interested in helping the town to grow and prosper. But just as a local telephone station is valuable to the interchange of thought because it belongs to a system whose wires reach to all parts of the nation, so the local bank is valuable to the interchange of business because of its connections with other banks in the United States, finding its strength and its usefulness in being part of a system.

For many years a plan was sought whereby our thousands of separate and independent banks could get together and cooperate for the improvement of our banking methods, and for mutual protection in emergencies, both for themselves and customers. We had periodic money panics, dangerously disturbing to business, and chargeable, in large part, to defects in our banking and currency system. There was no central bank from which the individual banks could get assistance in time of trouble. Panic conditions caused weak banks to fail, and even strong and sound institutions to be imperiled. Bankers, business men, and leaders in Congress for years made a careful study of banking and finally Congress passed law providing for the establishment of twelve great Federal Reserve Banks, each designed to serve as a sort of central bank for such banks in its allotted territory as might become members of the Federal Reserve System.

It retained the American plan of independent banks doing business under the management of their own directors and officers. About 10,000 banks have become members of the Federal Reserve System. The member banks in each district own the entire stock of the Federal Reserve bank there, and elect two-thirds of the directors. The other directors are appointed by the Federal Reserve Board at Washington, the Governmental body having supervision over the Reserve banks, though it does not operate them. Its members are appointed by the President of the United States.

The Federal Reserve banks hold member banks' reserves. Formerly

each bank carried in its own vault the cash required by law as a legal reserve so that it would be ready to pay depositors on demand. The gold supply of the country was thus scattered among thousands of independent banks.

When Fire Rages

This situation may be likened to the old-time water supply in a town. Each house had to depend on its individual well, tank, or cistern. Picture such a town attacked by fire. If the water was low in one well, from drought, or excessive use, water would have to be borrowed from a neighboring well. Suppose the water in that well also was at a low level. Thus the safety of all was sacrificed because no RESERVE water supply was at hand. The fire would become a conflagration.

Under the Federal Reserve System, we have a series of modern reservoirs, located in various parts of the country, each serving the needs of the banks in its own district. In each of these reservoirs credit is stored up to be supplied to the various banks, as the need arises. Each reservoir is in turn connected with all the others so that when the supply in one becomes low, the others may be temporarily drawn upon. By gathering the gold reserves of the member banks into the twelve Federal Reserve banks, a result has been obtained like that yielded by the construction of a great city water supply.

Each member bank formerly had to depend almost entirely upon its own resources in making loans to its customers. When it had loaned all of its own money, it could do no more, even though the merchant, manufacturer, or farmer customer had great need of more credit, and was asking it for highly important and necessary purposes. Hence arose what was called a "tight money" situation. Now the member bank can, and frequently does take the notes of its customers to the Federal Reserve bank, and borrows there in much the same way as the customer borrows from the member bank.

This reserve-storing and loaning work of the Reserve System is only part of the wonderful protection and service it is rendering the nation.

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4w18

WANTED—Man and wife until spring. Rent and fuel free. Reference apply at this office.

20w1

FOR SALE—10 pigs from 6 to 8 weeks old. George Martin, Antioch, Farmers phone.

19w2

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20w1

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3w19

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## BANKER-FARMER MEETING NOTES

A conference of bankers and farmers of the Fifth Federal Reserve District held recently at Raleigh, North Carolina, under the auspices of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission, adopted the following principles:

"In order to encourage and promote a safe, sane and constructive system of farm practices, the Banker and Farmer Conference of the Fifth Federal Reserve District would make the following recommendations with reference to the activities of farmers and bankers on which to concentrate efforts during the coming year:

"1. Encouragement of loans by bankers to bright and deserving young men and young women who wish to go to college to study agriculture and home economics.

"2. Promotion of a rational and conservative way the economic increase in the productivity of the soils of the district so that a larger soil of crop production may be secured. Small unit yields of necessity are expensive while moderate to large yields of crops are generally the cheapest. Larger yields per acre coupled with a reduction in the acreage when advisable, should and usually will be more profitable and when handled properly will not lead to over-production.

"3. Encouragement of a proper system of diversified farming in which farmers will grow as far as practicable all the food and feed crops necessary for the farm, and to keep on the farms the requisite kinds and amounts of livestock to meet the economic needs of farming.

"4. To formulate and put in motion definite plans for carrying out this program. It is urged that the Agricultural College of the District put a county agent in every county and that a banker-farmer conference be called meet early in the fall at the agricultural college of each State."

NATION'S SAVINGS PLANT TRIPLED

Savings banks and banks having distinct savings departments, not counting branches, have grown in number in the United States from 6,370 in 1912 to 16,709 in 1922 or an increase of about 210 per cent. in ten years, says the Savings Bank Division of the American Bankers Association. Savings deposits, it is pointed out, now comprise about one-half of all bank deposits of every description.

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